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SPRING CLEANING - A YARD NEVER LOOKED SO GOOD!



With spring upon us, it's time to spruce up the yard and get ready for the growing season. Have you ever wondered if your gardening and yard items could be recycled? Read on to find out!

Yard waste such as twigs, branches and brush can be brought to the Corral Farm facility and dumped for \$5 per vehicle or trailer load. There is no cost for bagged grass clippings or leaves emptied at the facility.

Small yard equipment can be received at any of the county collection sites. Push lawn mowers, weed eaters, hedge trimmers and chain saws are all recyclable as scrap metal. Please keep in mind that all liquids must be drained from the equipment first! There is no charge for these items. Metal rakes, shovels and trowels are also acceptable for metal recycling at no charge (handles should be removed first).





Gardening gloves, aprons and other fabric items are acceptable for recycling with textiles as long as they are generally clean.

5-gallon plastic buckets, some plastic watering cans, and some plastic outdoor children's toys can be accepted for recycling as Rigid plastics. These are typically labeled a #5 plastic and are very stiff.

Unfortunately, there are a few gardening items that cannot be accepted for recycling. Small plastic plant pots, garden hoses and empty mulch bags are not being accepted for recycling at this time.



If you ever have a question about whether or not an item can be accepted for recycling, you can visit our recycling chart here, or call our office at (540)422-8840.

Happy gardening!

RECYCLING CONTEST WINNERS!

More than 2,000 students from 14 Fauquier County Public Schools participated in the Fauquier County Recycling Committee's artwork contest aimed at promoting awareness and educating students and the community about recycling. The winners are as follows, listed in order of first and second places and honorable mentions for each grade level:

- **Kindergarten:** Madison Anderson, Pearson Elementary School; Noah Lunsford, Greenville Elementary School; Griffin Barbour, Brumfield Elementary School;
- **First grade:** Gryffon Turner, Pearson Elementary School; Miles Graves, Smith Elementary School; Adrianne Moore, Bradley Elementary School
- **Second grade:** Julia Green, Brumfield Elementary School; Xander Linch, Bradley Elementary School; Stelios Emmanouil, Pearson Elementary School
- **Third grade:** Natasha Wait, Brumfield Elementary School; Keelin Nye, Brumfield Elementary School; Frank Milano, Coleman Elementary School
- Fourth grade: Andrew Homenik, Brumfield Elementary School, and Grace Beattie, Smith Elementary School, tied for first; Abigail Beattie, Smith Elementary School, second
- **Fifth grade:** Megan Fallin, Greenville Elementary School and Ella Royal, Bradley Elementary School; Grace Hillin, Pearson Elementary School; Faith Herrman, Thompson Elementary School
- **Sixth grade:** Mara Rinaldi and Ella Salzman, Warrenton Middle School; Victoria Ashton and Allyson Kirkham, Warrenton Middle School; Emily Marshall, Warrenton Middle School and Eva Del Gallo, Marshall Middle School
- **Seventh grade:** Samantha Mroz, Warrenton Middle School; Chloe Van Camp, Warrenton Middle School; Brooke Arthur, Marshall Middle School and Brijesh Regeti, Taylor Middle School
- **Eighth grade:** Haley Wilkerson, Marshall Middle School; Alissa Ricapito, Marshall Middle School; Chaeli Brooks, Cedar Lee Middle School and Karen Martinez, Warrenton Middle School
- **Ninth grade:** Ryan Arey and Michael Chiccehitto, Liberty High School; Nicoisie Baker, Kettle Run High School; Nicoisie Baker, Kettle Run High School, Reagan Appleby, Madison Harmon and Kinsley Lewis, Liberty High School
- Tenth grade: No tenth grade entries
- Eleventh grade: No eleventh grade entries
- Twelfth grade: Joey Cox and Brandon Higgins, Liberty High School; Cristina Montemorano, Liberty High School; Nicoisie Baker, Emily Borst, Elise Divittorio and Colin Gilchrist, Kettle Run High School

Congratulations to everyone!

HALF PRICE TIRE RECYCLING – APRIL ONLY!

In honor of Earth Day on April 22nd, the county is hosting a half-off passenger tire recycling event for **residents and farms only**. But only for the month of April! Tires are accepted at the Corral Farm facility near the Town of Warrenton Monday-Saturday, 7am-3pm.



HOUR CHANGES

Remote Collection Site hours have changed with Daylight Saving Time. Please see chart at right.

The **Corral Farm facility** hours remain unchanged.

UPCOMING CLOSURES

Memorial Day, May 30, 2016

	Corral Farm Collection Site	*Remote Collection Site	Remington Recycling Site
Monday	7 am – 3 pm	*11am – 7pm	*2pm –7pm
Tuesday	7 am – 3 pm	7 am – 3 pm	Closed
Wednesday	7 am – 3 pm	7 am – 3 pm	10 am – 3 pm
Thursday	7 am – 3 pm	*11am – 7pm	Closed
Friday	7 am – 3 pm	7 am – 3 pm	10 am – 3 pm
Saturday	7 am – 3 pm	7 am – 3 pm	7 am – 3 pm
Sunday	7 am – 3 pm	7 am – 3 pm	10 am – 3 pm
*Snring/Summer Hours			

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